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Campaign Finance Disclosure Statement

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County, municipal and school candidates file in the office where you filed your nominating petitions. OF STATE Statewide PACs, political party, ballot question and other committees file statement with the Secretary of STATE State's Office. Mail to Secretary of State's Office, Election Department, 500 E Capitol Ave., Ste. 204, Pierre, SD 57501-5070 Fax to 605-773-6580 or email to kea.warne@state.sd.us Fax and email images must contain the signature and the original must be filed in our office within one week following the date the fax/email was received. Check here if you are a legislative candidate filing a pre-primary or pre-general report and received and spent less than \$10,000. If so, you only need to complete all of page 1 and lines 2 & 7 of page 8 of this report. See pages 28-30 of the Guideline Book for specific instructions on completing this report. SENATE MELMER FOR Name of Committee Custer Complete Street and Postal Address GERALD GROTHE Name of Person Making Report Daytime Phone Number 605-673 - 3613 Evening Phone Number 665-673-3613 Email Address NODAKKID @ GOLDENWEST. NET If you are a candidate, what office are you seeking?_ If you are a ballot question committee, indicate which measure(s) the committee was involved with during the reporting period and whether the measure was supported or opposed. TERMINATION Type of Campaign Statement Pre-election, year-end, mid-year (mid-year for ballot questions committees only), amendment, supplement or termination The following verification must be completed before submitting report. VERIFICATION OF PERSON MAKING REPORT GERALD GROTHE __(print name legibly), certify that I have examined this report and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete. I also understand that

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Date: 1-26-09

Signature of Treasurer

failure to timely file any statement, amendment, or correction required subjects the treasurer responsible for

filing to a civil penalty of fifty dollars per day for each day that the statement remains delinquent.

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Schedule A – Direct Contributions

This schedule is used for reporting all direct contributions. You must keep a record of all contributors, but for this report you may combine all contributions of \$100 or less from individuals and enter this sum as unitemized contributions on the first line below. Any contribution of more than \$100 or aggregate during a calendar year from an individual and all contributions from political parties and PAC's must be entered as a separate item (itemized) giving the amount, name, residence address, city and state of the contributor. Any contribution from a federal political committee or political committee organized outside this state shall also include the name and internet website address of the filing office where the committee regularly files. Each type of contributor has their own section for itemization. This schedule may be duplicated if you need more space or you may attach additional sheets of paper.

Itemized Contributions from	*\$ 1085,00	
Name	Residence Address	
E CAINE WHITTESEY - KE	USS 24933 BIG VALLEY TRAIL, CUSTER SD	\$ 250,00
JOHN WILLMAN	3214 KIRKWOOD St., RAPID CITY SD	\$ 250.00
VICTOR ROCHA	29835 DEL REY ROAD, TEMECULA, CA	\$ 300.00
PATRICK GINSBACH	3214 KIRKWAD St., RAPID CITY SD 29835 DEL REY ROAD, TEMECULA, CA 302 N 20th St, HOT SPRINGS, SD	\$ 250.00
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Total of Itemized Contributions from Individuals:

Schedule A – Direct Contributions (continued)

Itemized Contributions from Political Parties			
Party Name	Address		
CUSTER COUNTY DEMOCRATS	CUSTER, SD	_ \$ _	638.00
CUSTER COUNTY DEMOCRATS FALL RIVER COUNTY DEMOCRATS	HUT SPRINGS, SD		300,00
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Total of Itemized Contributions from Political	Parties:	*\$ _	938.00
contributions must be itemized.	litical Action Committees (PAC's) or South Dakota Car	ididate Co	ommittees - All
PAC Name	Address (A)		12 74
DEMOCRACY IN ACTION	POBOK 123, RAPIN CITY, SD 24955 MICARIDGE Rd, CUSTER, SD		33.34 111.58
GERENZ CAMPAIGN	C4433 MICA KINGE KO, CUSTER, SU	-\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	111.30
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Total Contributions from South Dakota Political Action Committees and South Dakota Candidate Committees:

\$ 144.92

Schedule A- Direct Contributions (continued)

Itemized Contributions from Federal Political Action Committees or Political Action Committees (PACS) and Candidate Committees organized outside this state. All contributions from Federal or out-of-state PAC's must be itemized and include the PAC name and internet website address of the filing office where the committee regularly files their campaign finance report.

PAC Name	Internet Website Address	
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Total of All Direct Contributions (Sum of all lines	with an *)	\$

Schedule B - In Kind Contributions

Report all non-cash contributions of goods or services and the estimated fair market value. If the contribution is from a federal political committee or political committee organized outside this state list the name and internet website address of the filing office where the committee regularly files their campaign finance report.

Description of Non-Cash Contribution	Name and Residence Address or Name and Internet Website Address	Estimated Value
IPAUL HORSTED	24905 MICA RIDGE RD, CUSTER, SD	200,00
ELAINE WITTLESEY	24933 BIG VALLEY TRAIL, CUSTER, SD	150.00
JERRY BLOOMER	2146 MINNEKAHTA AVE, HOT SPRINGS, SD	50,00
JANEEN MELMER	25421 HE SAPA TRAIL, CUSTER, SD	200,00
JACQUI GERENZ	24955 MICA RIDGE RD, CUSTER, SD	35,00
JERRY AND CONNIE GROTHE	124A WESTVIEW Rd, CUSTER, SD	75.00
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Total:	ign literature	710,00
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Schedule C - Other Income

Use this schedule to report any refunds, rebates, interest earned, sale of property, or other income which is not a direct contribution.

Source of Income	Description of Income	Amount
Total:		
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List a categorical description and the e	stimated value of funds or donations by	any organization to its political
committee for establishing and admini committee.	stering the political committee or solici	tation costs of the political
O	ton for direct founds	Estimated Value
Organization Name & Categorical Descript	ion for direct funds	Estimated value
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Total:

 $Schedule\ E-Expenditures$

This schedule is to report all expenditures relating to a candidate's campaign. Categories have been provided for reporting common expenses. All other expenses should be listed. All contributions to candidates and committees must be listed individually.

	enses	Contributions Made to Candidates a	na Committees
Item	Amount	Name of Candidate or Committee	Amount
	3.65 375,15		
Consulting			
Interest	75 11110 44		
Postage	75.64 1 2.64 1616.00		
Printing	1616,00		
Rent			
Salaries			
Telephone	10		
Travel	195,24		
Utilities		7	·
List other expense	List other expense		-
items below	amounts below		
OFFICE SUPPLIES ANDIDATE TRAINING NAME TAG	141.05		
ANDIDATE TRAINING	80.00		
NAME TAG	9,01		
REPAY LOAN TO DAVID MELNER	285.00		
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Schedule F - Debts and Obligations Owed by Committee

This schedule is to report all of the committee's obligations which are incurred but unpaid at the end of the reporting period. If a service has been contracted but not billed, estimate the amount of the obligation. You must include the terms, interest rate and repayment schedule of each loan and the nature of each obligation.

Owed to – Lender's Name	Nature of Obligation or Terms of Loan	Street Address, City and State	Amount
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Schedule G - Loans Owed to Committee

This schedule is to report the amount of each loan owed to the political committee or political party. The amount of each loan made during the reporting period and the balance of each loan owed to the committee at the end of the reporting period must be itemized.

Name of Recipient of Loan, Street Address, City and State	Amount of Loan Made During the Reporting Period	Amount of Loan Repaid During the Reporting Period	Balance of Loan at the End of the Reporting Period
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Totals	l		

Summary Page

This summary sheet will give a brief outline of all campaign finance activity during this reporting period. Please transfer all totals from the schedules previously completed.

1.	the reporting period:	\$ O
2.	Receipts	
	Schedule A - Direct Contributions \$ 3217.92	
	Schedule B – In-Kind Contributions \$ 710.00	
	Schedule C – Other Income \$	-
	Schedule D - Establishing/Administration of Committee \$	
	Total of all Receipts \$ 3927.92	
3.	Total Monetary Receipts (A+C)	\$ 3217.92
4.	Candidate's Personal Contribution to Own Campaign	\$
5.	Monetary Loans to Candidate or Committee During Reporting Period	\$ 544.58
6.	Monetary Loans Repaid During Reporting Period	\$ 546.58
7.	Expenditures - Schedule E	\$ 2985,59
8.	Debts & Obligations Owed by the Committee - Schedule F \$	
9.	Monetary Loans Made by the Committee During the Reporting Period – Schedule G	\$
10.	Monetary Loans Repaid to the Committee During the Reporting Period – Schedule G	\$
11.	Amount on hand at the close of this reporting period. This should equal lines $(1+3+4+5) - (6+7+9)$	*\$ O

County, municipal and school candidates file with the person in charge of the local election.

If you are a ballot question committee which received a contribution from an organization, please attach to this campaign finance disclosure statement, the Ballot Question Statement you received from the organization.

^{*}Note: You cannot end the reporting period with a negative balance.